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Beneficiary Alert! TRICARE Europe Standard Coverage Remains Unchanged

A recent email circulating among TRICARE Europe Standard beneficiaries provides information that is **not applicable in Europe**, **Africa**, **or the Middle East**. The email, which apparently originated in the Philippines, states that "claims from providers who are not TRICARE certified will be denied." **While this is true for TRICARE beneficiaries in some areas of the world, it is not true for TRICARE Europe beneficiaries**. TRICARE Europe Standard beneficiary claims will continue to be processed as usual. Host nation providers *do not require* "TRICARE certification" in the TRICARE Europe area of responsibility.

Beneficiaries who wish to find out more about their TRICARE Standard benefit are urged to contact their local TRICARE Service Center or visit the TRICARE Europe Web site at www.europe.tricare.osd.mil.